

"younger set" have had a gay sum-Their college vacation has been a round of gaities, and now that the time has come for leave-taking of home and home friends, they return to school with many pleasant memories of the past three

Dudley Munger and James B. Allen have gone to Princeton; Porter Hall left early last week for Andover, Mass. Kansas City representatives at Yale this year will in-

Jones, Miss Daisy Aull, Miss Bessie Hunt and Miss Mildred Faxon will resume their studies at Lasell seminary; Misses Sidney Holmes, Inez Filley, Josephine Goodman and Virginia Reiger go to Monticello Miss Leona Conover and Miss Relia Abell return to the Art League in New York; Miss Margery Munger will attend Miss Liggett's school in Detroit, Mich.; Miss Roberta Keith, Miss Anabell Abell, Miss Georgiana Brackett, Miss Marie Mohr, Miss Stella Barse, Miss Marie Jones, Miss Georgia Hollinger and Miss Ethel Ridenour will be among the students at Smith college, Northampton, Mass.; Miss May Jew-ett and Miss Katharine Dunn will attend ber 6 for Miss Summer's school in Wash on, D. C.; Miss Dorothy Stiles is at Wellesley; Miss Fannie Goodman returns

Mr. and Mrs. Melville H. Hudson will send out invitations to-morrow for the marriage of their daughter, Gertrude, to Mr. Walter M. Jacoard. The ceremony will take place at the Hudson country Miss Bendena Hudson, the bride's sisters, will be the maids of honor. Mr. Frank Hall and Mr. Ernest Jaccard, of St. Louis, groom's best men. Bridesmaids and ushers will be: Miss Lucy Pinney, of Chicago; Miss Nannie Davis, of St. Joseph; Miss Augusta Brooks and Miss Lucy Hampson, of hio, and Miss Georgette Jones and Miss Adele Jones, of this city; Mr. Jere Lillia, Mr. George Wilson, Mr. Frank Carroll, Dr. Stanley, Mr. Walter Bown and Mr. Mel-ville H. Hudson, Jr.

Monday evening, September 28, Mrs. M. Monday evening, September 28, Mrs. M. H. Hudson and Miss Ada Hudson will give a dancing party in honor of Miss Hudson and her guests, Miss Hampeon and Miss Brooks, of Ohio; Miss Davis, of St. Joseph, and Miss Pinney, of Chicago These young ladies will arrive next Saturday and will remain guests of Mrs. Hudson for some time.

Miss Lulu Carson, daughter of Mrs. E. L. Carson, of 1213 Wabash avenue, and Mr. O. P. Blake will be married early in Oc-tober.

I. Carson, of 123 Wabash avenue, and Mr. O. P. Blake will be married early in Cotober.

Mrs. William S. Cowherd and Miss Covherd's reception last Thursday afternoon at their centicence 273 Forest avenue, was a rarely interesting social event. It gave many friends their first opportunity for greetings after the quiet of the summer season, in the midst of the most delightful environments. The handsome rooms were fragrant with roses and carnations, pink prevailing. Palms were set in angles and orchestral music floated out from a screen of evergreens in the hall. The hostenses were assisted in receiving by helr mother, Mrs. Jams Geboon, Mrs. R. T. Tornton, Mrs. D. O. Smart, Mrs. H. L. Wisson, Mrs. John Taylor, Mrs. T. T. Crittenden, Jr., Miss Jennie Pedigo and Miss Ella Bates. In the diningroom Miss Georgia Halley and Miss Neilie Ebert presided, while punch was served by Miss Fiorence Lowe and Miss Juliet Wilson. The houten was gowned in yellow sath veiled in yellow organdy. Miss Cowherd was gowned in yellow sath veiled in yellow organdy. Miss Cowherd wore white organdy brocaded in Persian effect in heliotrope shades with trimming of heliotrope ribbon. Guests were: Mesdames H. H. Anderson, E. H. Alleut, Charles Ackerman, A. D. Burrows, Kelly Brent, T. J. Beattle, G. A. Barton, K. L. Barton, J. S. Barton, Greenup Bird, R. L. Harte, P. D. Crabbs, J. W. Crego, Charles Campbell, Will L. Campbell, John Campbell, M. E. Elon, J. A. Bebert, F. A. Faxon, A. S. Fisher, F. H. Gattrell, T. A. Gill, C. W. H. Jannt, J. J. W. Crego, Charles Campbell, Will L. Campbell, John Campbell, M. E. Eton, J. A. Bebert, F. A. Faxon, A. S. Fisher, F. H. Gattrell, T. A. Gill, G. H. Hand, J. J. W. Crego, Charles Campbell, Will L. Campbell, John Campbell, M. E. Eton, J. A. Bebert, F. A. Faxon, A. S. Fisher, F. H. Gattrell, T. A. Gill, Ghependence, William Magill, Chester Hall, Porte Haven, P. H. Hovey, B. T. Harden, E. I. Harrie, P. L. Harris, J. H. Harris, H. C. Harper, T. J. Holmes, M. T. Harris, J. H. Harris, H. C. Harper, T. J. Holmes, M. T.

R. J. Holmes, Fred Huttig, W. Hamner, T. P. Haley, R. J. Ingraham, J. M. Johnson, S. H. Jenkins, W. H. Knotts, W. A. Knotts, W. W. Knight, Frank B. Lewis, George Loomis, Ell Lewis, J. M. Love, Nat Leenard, J. E. Logan, H. W. Laramer, G. H. Lapsley, F. L. LaForce, W. B. LaForce, Horace Lynn W. H. Lucas, R. B. Mullett, Howard McCorr, J. C. McCoy, Woodson McCoy, T. T. Crittenden, Jr., G. S. Carkener, F. E. Clegg, J. A. Cooper, W. A. Croysdale, W. E. Croysdale, W. Cary, G. J. Clark, Lee W. Campbell, C. A. Cole, M. S. Cowles, L. M. Daniels, L. H. Day, F. R. Dimmitt, M. R. Downs, R. M. Davis, C. last week for Andover, Mass. Kansas City representatives at Yale this year will include Tom James. Lester Hall, Marvin Gaies, Arthur Marty, Sam Marty and James L. Lombard, Jr. Massey Holmes leaves Tuesday for Harvard. John Townley, who is visiting in New York, will resume his studies at Princeton. Roy Woodworth, Warren Mullett and Robert Magill will go to Ann Arbor the 1st of October. Frank Gordon left, yesterday for Cambridge, Mass., where he will finish his academic course. Phillip Cook leaves this evening for Trinity college, Hartford, Conn. Albert Hopkins leaves Tuesday for Williams. John T. Elkins has entered the school of metallurgy in Golden, Col. Donald McLean and Mat Foster have resumed their studies at Shattuck, where they are members of the senior class, Charles Warner is at St. John's academy, Milwaukes, Wiss. Walter B. Shields has returned to the state university at Columbus, O. Mr. Holden Hurt completes his course in law at Harvard. Robert Keith leaves next week for Georgetown college, Washington, D. C.

Miss Daisy Kendall and Miss Neille Burrows are at the Northwestern university, Evanston, III. Miss Nettle Peet entered Forest Park university at St. Louis last week. Miss Corelia Mason has returned to the state university at St. Louis last week. Miss Corelia Mason has returned to the state university at St. Louis last week for Georgetown college, Washington, D. C.

Miss Graham's school in New York. Miss Marion Ess, Miss Lella Christopher, Miss Graham's school in New York. Miss Marion Ess, Miss Lella Christopher, Miss Graham's school in New York. Miss Marion Ess, Miss Lella Christopher, Miss Graham's school in New York. Miss Graham's school in New York. Miss Marion Ess, Miss Mabel McComb is at Marvard. Robert Sevent Miss Graham's school in New York. Miss Graham's school in New York. Miss Marion Ess, Miss Lella Christopher, Miss Graham's school in New York. Miss Marion Ess, Miss Lella Christopher, Miss Graham's school in New York. Miss Marion Ess, Miss Lella Christopher, Miss Graham's school in New Croysdale, Louise Danaker, Wilson, Annie Woolley, Dora Warren, Nellie Ebert, Clay Field, Eva Frick, Ellen Gattrell, Pattie Todd, Bessie Toler, Tindell, Ellen Turner, Annie Spence, M. Schmitz, Emma Smart, Quinlan, Emma Reed, Megredy, Minnie Merine, Nettie Mock, McDearmon, Matthews, Elizabeth Neel, Florence Overall, Florence Lowe, Nellie Kitchen, Clayton Nellie Edwards, Laramer, Emma Locket, Mattie McCoy.

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Vesterday afternoon Miss Nellie Ebert gave a charming "at home" in compliment to Miss Margaret Jones, one of the fair brides of the present week. The handsome residence, 228 Forest avenue, was beautifully decorated with flowers and evergreens, and brilliant with the grace and loveliness of many of Kansas City's most attractive young ladies. Miss Ebert was assisted in her duties as hostess by Mrs. F. N. Calcott of Chicago, Mrs. Henry C. Merrill, Mrs. Irv. L. Bunker, Mrs. Frank Sawyer, Mrs. Edward Marty, Mrs. Arthur Tureman, Miss Gertrude Jones, Miss Adele Kelly of St. Jeseph, Miss Fannie Lillis, Miss Pearl Ranson, Miss Pauline Arnold, Miss Clara Bachman, Miss Belle Moore, Miss Frances Wallace and Miss Evelyn Ebert. Invited were: Mrs. Edwin Shields, Mrs. Charles Gill, Mrs. Oliver Carlat, Mrs. W. L. Kessinger, Mrs. William Houston, Mrs. Jerome Stewart, Mrs. S. Reed, Mrs. J. T. Coombs, Mrs. Frank Youmans, Mrs. George Carkener, Mrs. William Croysdale, Mrs. James S. Barton, Mrs. Will Roberts, Mrs. Edgar Thomas, Mrs. George Peek, Mrs. George Thomas, Mrs. Bettle Ranson, Mabel Weston, May Woodgate, Georgia Halley, Pearl Ketchum, Bettle Ranson, Ada Reese, Juliet Wilson, Sara Brown, Eleanor Thornton, Nellie Taylor, Adaresta Thompson, Sue Barse, Mary Mercer, Fiorence Hanley, Mayme Williams, Anna Householder, Elizabeth Brent, Nellie White, Rose Fyock, Lucia Maud Durfee, Margery Munger, Elizabeth Neel, Lucia Holliker, Pearl Barnes, Meldon Smith, Alma Snell, Effie Buck, Agnes Dunlop, Ella Fenneli, Anna Switzer, Lilian Salisbury, Mary McCoy, Anna Wilson, Emma Wright, Florence Wright, Katharine Baer, Ada Zimmerschied, Miss Parker, Edith Kelly, Nellie Palmer, Caroline Bryant, Natalle Wilson, Pattle Bohannon, Emily Carlat, Estelle Carlat, Elizabeth Andrews, Anna Rurnett, Maud Fritz, Ada Gregg, Georgia Smith, Blanche Chouteau, N

seph Mead officiated as groomsmen and ushers. The bride's toilette was white brocaded taffeta, enhanced by deep collar of point lace. Her vell was held by a diamond star, the gift of the groom. She carried a white prayer book. The maid of honor and bridesmaids were daintily gowned in white Swiss, the bridesmaids also wearing Gainsborough white hats trimmed with pink roses. After the ceremony breakfast was served to the bridat party, relatives and visiting guests. Mr. and Mrs. Tuttle left in a special car over the Memphis route for an Eastern trip. They will visit Canada and other Northern points of interest. Mr. and Mrs. Tuttle were accompanied by wedding guests from Fort Scott to this point. Of the number were: Mr. and Mrs. J. N. Ashley, Mr. and Mrs. F. W. Segar, Mrs. H. J. Whitcomb, Miss Laura Wilson, Miss Jessie Grover and Mr. H. C. Garner, of this city; Mr. Clyde Mead, of Lawrence, Kas., and Rev. John Bennett. At home announcement is 2216 East Twelfth street after November 1. 216 East Twelfth street after November 1.

The wedding of Miss Gertrude Gaylord to Lieutenan: Sedgwick Rice, Seventh cavalry, U. S. A., was celebrated last Wednesday evening, at the residence of the bride's brother and sister, Mr. and Mrs. J. Sol Smith, of Denver. Invitations were limited to relatives. In alluding to this fact the Rocky Mountain News says: "Had Miss Gaylord gone outside that circle her list must necessarily have extended until her guests filled the largest church in town, so well known is she and so large is the circle of her friends."

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The officiating clergyman was Rev. Charles Marshall, of the Episcopal church. Lieutenant Goodin, of Fort Logan, was the groom's best man, and the bride was given away by her brother, Mr. Paul Gaylord, She was gowned in heavy Louis Quinze silk, brocaded in cerise with garnhrure of cream chiffon and narrow velvet ribbons, Lieutenant and Mrs. Rice left by the evening train for St. Paul, where they will visit relatives before going to Fort Grant, A. T., where Lieutenant Rice is stationed.

A quiet home wedding took place Wednesday morning last at the home of Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Mercer. Miss Mary Hardin Mercer, their daughter, wedded Mr. Bernard Zick, of Pleasant Hill. Owing to a recent bereavement, only relatives were present to witness the ceremony. Rev. Alexander Proctor was the officiating clergyman. The bride was handsomely dressed in a tailor-made suit, and carried asters. The parlor where the ceremony took place was decorated with the same flower. After the service the bridal couple left for their new home at Pleasant Hill.

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Miss Ethlyn Bugbee, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. T. S. Bugbee, and Mr. George T. Cook were married last Wednesday evening at 8.39 at the residence of the bride's parents, Thirty-first and Woodland, Goldenrods and a profusion of palms formed attractive decoration for the fair scene. In the hall a stringed orchestra, shlelded by a screen of tropical foliage, signaled the approach of the bridal party by notes of the wedding march from "Lohengrin." The little brothers and sisters of the bride passed first down the stairway, carrying white satin ribbons, which formed an aisle for the maid of honor, Miss Ruby Bugbee, and for the bride, who was accompanied by her father. They were met at the parlor entrance by the groom and his best man, Mr. Philip Cook. Rev. Cameron Mann was the officiating minister. The bride was gowned in white satin over pink silk. She wore a full length veil and carried white roses. Her maid was in white organdy over yellow satin. Congratulations were followed by dancing and serving of refreshments. Miss Harriet Cook, Mrs. Oliver Carlat and Miss Edith Ellis presided at the tables. Mr. and Mrs. Cook will make a Southern and Eastern tour. They will go first to Savannah, Ga., and from there to New York, returning October 15, and will be at home to friends at the Montague.

Wednesday last Miss Maud, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. T. F. Maxwell, of Independence, wedded Mr. Floyd Schooley, of Lexington, at the home of the bride's parents, on West Walnut street, Independence, Rev. Alexander Proctor performed the ceremony. A wedding supper was served in the dining room of the residence, which was decorated for the occasion. The bride is one of the charming young women of Independence. The groom is the editor of the Lafayette County Republican. The young people will make their home at Lexington.

The marriage of Miss Nellie Holland, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Alexander Holland, to Dr. C. A. Ritter, was solemnized last Tuesday afternoon at 2:45, at the residence of the bride's parents on West Fourteenth street Rev. Dr. W. P. George, of Westminster church, was the officiating minister. The only attendant was the little flower girl, Marie Holland, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Charles Holland, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Charles Holland, daughter of dr. and Mrs. Charles Holland, of St. Joseph. Mr. James Cravens played the wedding march from "Lohengrin." The bride wore pale lavender silk with garniture of duchesse lace, and carried white rosebuds. The little flower girl was in pink silk and carried bink roses.

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The Holland home was beautifully decorated for the marriage service and for the large reception which followed. Ferns and pink asters prevailed in the parlors, ferns and goldenrod in the library and white flowers set in verdure in the dining room. Assisting in entertaining were:

Mrs. A. W. Armour, Mrs. George Law, Mrs. J. C. Deld, Mrs. A. H. Gossard, Mrs. E. S. Jewett, Mrs. E. I. Farnsworth, Mrs. Ermine Case, Mrs. H. F. Devol, Mrs. Harry Evans, Mrs. Garrett Ellison, Mrs. Willard Holmes, Mrs. Melville Hudson, Mrs. Luther Witmer, Mrs. J. K. Cravens, Mrs. Charles Holland.

The diningroom hostesses were Miss.

Luther Witmer, Mrs. J. K. Cravens, Mrs. Charles Holland.

The diningroom hostesses were Miss Katharine Sleeper, Miss Pearl Ketchum, Miss Grace Flint, of St. Joseph; Miss Adah Hudson, Miss Florence Devol and Miss Mand Askew. In the sherbet room were Miss May Jewitt, Miss Frances Cravens and Miss Edna Jackson. Six hundred guests were entertained. The presents were numercus and magnificent.

The bride is well and popularly known in society in this city, and the groom is prominent in his profession. Dr. Ritter is of an old Indianapolis family, whose members are prominent in medicine, politics and law. He is vice president of the Kansas City Academy of Medicine, a member of the faculty of the University Medical college and a department editor of Langsdale's Lancet.

Dr. and Mrs. Ritter are making an Eastern tour. They will be at home to friends after October 26 at 302 West Fourteenth street.

Miss Louise Millis, of Leavenworth, and Mr. Austin Clark List, of this city, were married last Wednesday at 5 p. m., at the residence of the bride's brother, Mr. L. W. Millis, in Leavenworth. The parlor was decked in green, with relief of white roses. Rev. Dr. W. N. Page, pastor of the First Presbyterian church, was the officiating minister. The ceremony included the ring service. Miss Emma Hamblin played the wedding march from "Lohengrin," followed by subdued notes of "Oh. Promise Me." The bride wore a tollette of French novelty, with brown velvet and cream lace, and carried bride's roses. Mr. and Mrs. List are at home to friends at 805 Forest avenue. Among wedding guests were the groom's mother and grandmother and his

Miss Annie W. Hallock and Mr. John V. Miss Annie W. Hallock and Mr. John V. Green were united in marriage September 9 by Rev. Dr. Jenkins, at the residence of Mrs. A. K. Hallock. Only immediate relatives were present. Mr. and Mrs. Green are at home to friends at 1706 East Eighth

The ladies of Christ church will give an ice cream social Tuesday evening, September 22, at the residence of Mrs. L. A. Pierce, 1228 Tracy avenue.

The meeting of the Association of the Old Ladies' Home will be held Tuesday, September 22, at 2 p. m. The Twentieth Century Club will meet with Mrs. G. W. Loomas, 2443 Forest avenue, on Saturday, September 26. The lesson will be the history of the play and source of the plot of "Henry IV." and quo-

Last Friday afternoon Mrs. E. B. Robison entertained informally in honor of her sister. Mrs. Eva Dorsey, of Cleveland, O. Guests present were: Mesdames A. F. M. Strong, Los Angeles, Cal.; W. H. Reed, T. J. Templer, Jennie Clark, W. H. Knotts, W. H. Kimberlin, F. Culp. Charles Marshall, Kinney, C. B. Hewitt, James Hewson, George Rose, Griffith, H. I. Filley, Amy Stannard, Josephine Hall, C. B. Mitchell, A. Hosier and John Bush.

The following young people enjoyed a box party at the Grand theater Thursday afternoon as the guests of Mr. and Mrs. J. P. Reymond: Mrs. Mae Scott, Miss Kittle, Miss Mary Kirker, Miss Dalsy Dudley, Miss Florence Hamilton, Miss Nora Burgess, Miss Nelle Palmer, Miss Eleanor Bingham, Miss May Veatch, Miss Stella Nims, Miss Margaret Jones and Master Paul Reymond.

smilax and cut flowers. The bride wore white silk, trimmed in lace and white taffeta and carried a bouquet of bride's roses. Miss Graham, her maid, wore white mull and carried a large bouquet of dahlias and ferns. After congratulations, the bridal party repaired to the dining room, which was decorated with cut flowers, and refreshments were served. Mr. and Mrs. Edwards left for Lebo on the lith, and will be at home to friends after October 1. at home to friends after October 1.

Miss Marguerite Davis and her pupils, assisted by Miss Lillian Krelser, gave a muzical recital last Friday evening. A large and appreciative audience was in attendance. Purticipants in the programme were: Miss Krelser, Miss Elsie Gessley, Ralph Gilbert, Miss Bita Hogan, Miss Anna Corder, Miss Angle Clemons, Miss Anna Tallquist, Miss Libbie Lowe, Miss Mary Clemons, Miss Ada Baxter, Miss Sadie Freling, Miss Dalsy Bliss.

Society is Geeply interested in the flower parade to be held Wednesday afternoon, October 7. This pageant, for the success of which society stands sponsor, was held for the first time last fail, and was the hit of the Karnival festivities. The parade this fall promises to eclipse that of last year in every respect.

The ladies in charge of the parade desire to have as many carriages as possible decorated in natural flowers and grasses, such as goldenrod, sunflower, millet, autumn leaves, etc. Carriages can be dec-

such as goidenrod, sunflower, millet, autum leaves, etc. Carriages can be decorated the server of the parade. The ladies desire that everybody take a personal interest in the parade and contribute their share to its success. Already exity entries have been received, compared to fifty-six last year.

Those who have either entered the parade, or promised to enter, are as follows: Meedames D. B. Holmes, F. W. Flato, Waiter Halli well, James Manning, Dr. Lester Hall, Fred Huttig, J. W. Wagner, Milo E. Bray, Pugsley, Emil Scharmagel, F. Crabbs, Genfel Eaton, Frigg, J. B. Welsh, T. F. Callahan, Frank Youmans, Albert Thompson, Charles Carter, Frank Chesney, Henry Frieffer, Schuler, C. J. Carter, Dr. Whittier, J. W. Cartlich, Arthur Hatch, William Baird; Misses Margaret Latner, Nellie Ross, Dyer, Raile Tondro, Sue Reese, Schuler, Sylvia Woolf, Jesse Kump, Nira Spofford, Cecelia Bruns, Theo Mastin, Maud Miller; Messrs, Tom Spofford, Cecelia Bruns, Theo Mastin, Maud Miller; Messrs, Tom Spofford, William Relson, Harry Locee, Hugh McGowan, Frank Horne, Archie Aylsworth, Dr. S. C. James, G. B. Stochsan, Kund J. Rend, Frank Horne, Archie Aylsworth, Dr. S. C. James, G. B. Stochsan, Kund J. Rend, J. K. Kane, miscellaneous, Howard university, Princeton, Universities of Kansas and Mandaman, J. K. Kane, miscellaneous, Howard university, Princeton, Universities of Kansas and Mandaman, J. K. Kane, Esperianeous, Howard university Medical college, Streicher's, Fred Wolferman, bicycle, Pathinder Cycling Club.

The list of marshals and aides for the parade is as follows:

Kavallers—Colonel Gorge P. Gross, grand mandaman, H. K. Lib, Batler, LaForce, Robert Stone, E. H. Allen, Benjamin Burgess, G. W. Beyers, W. E. Hall, John Bovarit, Lyman W. Seaman, Fred P. Smith, H. H. Anderson, J. P. Reymond, George McWilliams, H. M. Bush, Judge J. L. Lowe, W. L. Irwin, Daniel Saunders; James S. Williams, H. M. Stone, Frank Book, Frank Condition, James, C. W. Helen, C. J. Carter, Milo E. Lawrance, Harvey Salmon, P. G. Maker, Jr., division kommander; a

Mrs. Grundy's Budget of News. Louvre Glove Company. Ladies, see Mrs. Sachs' fine millinery. Mrs. Lillie Eames is home from Chicago.

Miss Anna George is visiting in Colum-Miss Ida Barlow has returned from New Mrs. Charles Southwell is visiting in Mo-Mrs. Joseph Meinrath has returned from

Boston.

Miss Ellien Owen has returned from Brunswick, Mo.

Mr. and Mrs. W. T. Peters are entertaining a little son. Mrs. J. E. Kirkham is visiting home friends in Rolla. Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Fennell are at home after a Colorado tour. Dr. A. H. Cordier will return from Rich-mond, Va., October 1.

Misses Anna and Jessie Kinnear have re-turned from Leavenworth. Miss Byrda Lewis is the guest of Mrs. P. H. Bowler, 1120 Tracy avenue. Miss Hattle Theis, of Hannibal, is visit-ing her mother, Mrs. J. H. Wheeler. ing ner mother, Mrs. J. H. Wheeler.
Mrs. Leon J. Klein and son, of 1551 Tracy
avenue, have returned from Chicago.
Mrs. M. C. Bixby and her daughter,
Alice, are visiting friends in this city. Mr. and Mrs. J. V. Ellard are at home o their friends at 3528 Troost avenue. Mrs. W. E. Comstock and children are guests of Mrs. W. H. Chiles, of Lexington. Mrss Blanch Runyan nas returned from visiting Miss Mabel Riely, of Carrollton,

Mo.
Miss Etta Hinds, of Lodi, Wis., is the guest of Mrs. Walter Halliwell for the Mrs. Robert M. Goodlett, who was visit-ing relatives in Hannibal, has returned home. nome. Mrs. John Doggett and her grandfaugh-er, Gladys Coates, are at Colorado ter, Gladys Coates, Springs.

Mr. and Mrs. C. C. Peters are bome after a visit in Chicago, Minneapolis and Dan-

rille, Ill.

Mrs. W. F. Richardson and family have Miss Agnes Burke is the guest of Miss Mabel Riely, of Carrollton during the Car-rollton fuir.

Mr. and Mrs. I. Speyer, of Chicago, spent week of their bridal tour in this city visiting relatives. Mrs. Louise Hopkins has returned from Northern Wisconsin, where she spent the summer months. Dr. W. H. Jenney left yesterday to join Mr. Wallace Pratt at Star Lake for a two weeks' fishing trip.

Mrs. J. K. Johnston has returned from Colorado, and is at home to friends at 1423 East Eighth street.

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Miss Rose Hagood has returned from
Des Moines, Ia., where she was the guest
of Mrs. Miles Morgan.
Miss Belle Davidson, of 912 East Fourteenth street, has returned from an extended visit to Milwaukee.
Mrs. John A. Mitchell, who was the
guest of Kansas City friends, has returned
to her home in Little Rock, Ark.
Miss Kate Ogleby will sail from New
York on the 19th with a party of friends,
and will spend the winter in Paris.
Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Coates are in Denver. They will spend some time at Colorado Springs before returning home.
Miss Jessie Kirtley, formerly contralto
in the Central Presbyterian church, will
sing the offertory this morning at Dr.

Combs' church, Sixth street and Prospect avenue.

Avenue.

Miss Codista Holman and Miss Virginia.
Dill, of Leavenworth, are visiting the Misses Kinnear, of 524 Bellefontaine avenue.

Mrs. L. B. Cleveland, of Atlanta, Ga., is visiting Colonel and Mrs. William J. Payne at Oaklawn, No. 2800 South Main street.

Miss Katherine Criley entertained at luncheon last Wednesday at the Auditorium, in compliment to Miss Nora Jarvis.

Mr. and Mrs. Conway F. Holmes and Mr. and Mrs. Charles R. Lockridge entertained guests with a trolley party last evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles J. Smith and their scn, Edward, have returned from a trip to Niagara Falls, New York city and Esston.

Mrs. William R. Houston entertained guests but Wednesday afternoon in honor Mrs. William R. Houston entertained guests last Wednesday afternoon in honor of Miss Stella Barse and Miss Marie Jones. Mrs. George Steen and daughter, Reta, have returned to their home in Chicago after a visit with their aunt, Mrs. L. Pal-

Mrs. Chester Peeples is entertaining Miss Ella Fike, daughter of Captain Henry C. Fike, of Warrensburg, Mo., at 2626 Prospect Mr. and Mrs. H. G. Moore, of 400 Garfield avenue, who have been in Manitou, Col., for the past three weeks, returned home this week.

Mrs. P. J. Kelley, of St. Louis, is the guest of her mother, Mrs. William Scully, 1206 McGee, and will remain through car-nival week.

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The Willard W. C. T. U. will meet on Thursday next at 3 o'clock p. m., at the residence of Mrs. Emma Longan, 1517 Michigan avenue.

Mrs. Samuel Ridenour and her daughter. Miss Blanche, are home after a delightful summer on the Atlantic coast and in the White mountains.

Mr. and Mrs. George B. Peck are visiting relatives in Detroit. They will go to New York city and other points of interest in the East before returning home. Colonel and Mrs. William R. Nelson, their daughter, Laura, and Miss McCurdy arrived in New York yesterday. They will reach home the last of this week.

Mrs. H. A. Cain and her niece, Miss Min-nie Ramp, are being delightfully enter-tained in Wichita, Kas. They are to be absent from the city several weeks. nes Ramp, are being delignitulty entertained in Wichita, Kas. They are to be absent from the city several weeks.

A concert and reading at Olive Street Baptist church, corner Ninth and Olive, will be given next Thursday evening. An attractive programme is arranged. Participating are: Professor Edgar J. Ebbels; Mrs. J. H. Harris, Mrs. Jennie Shultze, Mrs. E. C. White, Miss Pearl Laws, Professor W. H. Leib, Professor Sully Osiier, Mr. John Reton, Ida Hammond Clark.

Miss Alice Collins was initiated into the Iota Omega Society last Saturday evening, at the home of Miss Katherins Parish, of South Main street. After the ceremony the evening was delightfully spent. Among the pleasant entertainments the society has given this month have been a picnic at Fairmount park and a party at the home of Miss Grace Hawes, Members are: Misses Katherine Parish, Mary Hampton, Bess Goodhue, Bertha Knopp, Kate Dawson, Katherine Gray, Mabel McClellan, Alice Dawson, Grace Hawes, Alice Collins and Georgia Howlette.

Miss Madge Hart was pleasantly surprised Tuesday evening on the anniversary of her birthday. Games and a programme of music and recitations formed the pleasant pastime. Present were: Mr. and Mrs. H. L. Hart, Mrs. Stella Burk, Ella Stetzler, Ida Rutledge, Nell Jones, Kate Porter, Maggie Cross, Mamie Melville, Nina Spalding, Vernie Cross, Gertrude Wolverton, Lizzie Kramer, Rev. W. W. Charles, Dr. Elmer Cross, J. C. Tennier, T. S. Kennedy, Fred Franke, G. W. Birdenbaugh, Frank Wolverton, Harry Spalding, Jesse Covell, W. W. Mulinix, Charles Tuttle, W. H. Mullay, Frank Stetzler, Lloyd Tuttle.

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Stezler, Lloyd Tuttle,

A very enjoyable reception was given Saturday evening at the residence of Mr. and Mrs. E. B. Howard, 1899 East Eleventh street, the occasion being the 21st anniversary of their son, Ralph. Music was furnished by the Star Mandolin Club, and games were the feature of the evening. The house was beautifully decorated with ferns, potted plants and choice cut flowers. Refreshments were served at 10-29. Among those present were: Misses Edna Scott. Myrtle Scott. Eve Comer, Ethel Taylor, of Lee's Summit, Frances Craig, Ida Newhouse, Vesta Tomlinson, Daisy McDill, Birdle Sutherlan, Maud Swain, Laura Sibley, Kansas City, Kas.; Velma Vineyard; Messrs. Arthur Brunner, Walter Brunner, Bert Prince, John Hayes, Frank Scott, William Sibley, Eugene Sherwin, Don Sherwin, Dr. Thad Kelly, Mark Blitz, Walter Sibley, Charles McDill, Raymond Howard, Master Eddie Howard.

The annual meeting of the Central W. C. T. U. was held in its pariors in the Rialto building Thusday, September 17. Reports were given by various superintendents, showing a vast amount of work done. The treasurer reported money received and disbursed to the amount of \$88. Officers were elected for the ensuing year: Mrs. L. A. Lewis, president; Mrs. A. M. Bomgardner, vice president; Mrs. George Ford, corresponding secretary; Mrs. H. W. Miller, recording secretary; Mrs. H. W. Mil-ler, recording secretary; Miss Ellen D. Morris, tressurer. The meeting was large-ly attended and committees were appointed to arrange for serving lunches during car-niyal week in the large music hall in the Rialto building.

"An Evening of Readings" will be given in the First Presbyterian church, corner Tenth and Forest next Friday by Miss Josephine L. Hanrahan, assisted by Mrs. B. T. Hollenbeck, soprano; Miss Gertrude Concannon, planist; Mr. Dudley W. Eaton, tenor; Mr. Sully Osiier, violinist. Programme numbers include:

Piano—"Valse de Concert" (J. Wieniawski), Miss Concannon.

Vccal—"Rosetide" (Otto Cantor), Mr. Eaton. Eaton.
Reading, "Imph-m" (Mitchell); "The Soul
of the Violin (Merrill), with violin obligato
by Mr. Oslier, Miss Hanrahan.
Vocal—To be selected, Mrs. Hollenbeck.
Reading,—"Aristarchus Shidus' Elocution"
(Bisbee), Miss Hanrahan.
Violin—"Romance" (Jan Svendsen), Mr.
Oslier. Oslier.
Reading—"Como" (Miller), with piano obligato by Miss Concannon, Miss Hanraen. Vocal-"Contentment" (Wilson G.Smith), Eaton. eading—"Jenks' Phonograph" (Judson),

PHONOGRAPH FUNERALS. Talking Machines for Burial Services Instead of the Minister.

From the New York Journal. which the burial service is read by a phonograph. At Gravesend, near Coney island, several funerals have been ducted by phonograph recently. Clergymen are very few and far between in that men are very few and far between in that section, and in the summer there is none at all. The undertaker of the village saw that something had to be done to supply the want of a clergyman, and, being a man of inventive genius, hit upon a phonograph as being the best way of solving the problem.

He persuaded a duly ordained minister to read the burial service into the cylinder of a phonograph, and also secured cylinders with appropriate hymns and prayers. A huge trumpet serves to intensify the sound, and causes the voice rom the phonograph to be both long and defined. When the coffin has been laid besife the grave the phonograph, which stands where the minister would ordinarily be, is started and the ceremony begins.

First of all a portion of the scriptures is read, then a quartette renders the hymn "Nearer, My God, to Thee," after which the Lord's prayer is recited. The phonograph voice then reads softening the burial service. Committal of the dead is followed by another prayer. Another hymn is sung, and then the phonograph pronounces the benediction. The effect is very solemn, for the faraway sound of the scropous voice seems somehow to intensify the meaning of the service.

No use, other than a religious one, is ever permitted with the phonograph and its big trumpet has never ground our such popular ballads as "The Sidewalks of New York" or "Uncle John." The undertaker takes a really serious view of the instrument, and when not in use it is kept alongside the family Bible, with a "ecorous crape band depending from the flaring trumpet.

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The inhabitants of Gravesend have become quite used to the thorograph, and say it is just the thing for them. Some of the older villagers, who make a point of attending all funerals in the vicinity, say that a funeral would not seem like a real funeral without "Abe's" machine, abraham Stilwell, the originator of the idea, holds that there is nothing inappropriate in the idea, and several ministers have assured him that they fully approve of the plan.

He Apologized.

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CHURCH ANNOUNCEMENTS.

It is imperative in submitting church announcements that clergymen and others follow the form used below. Announcements which reach this paper in any other form will not be published:

Unity Society (Divine Science), Hall building, Ninth and Wainut streets—Services at 11 a. m.; Bible study.

First Presbyterian church, corner of Forest avenue and Tenth street—The pastor. Rev. Dr. Horace C. Stanton, will preach at 11 a. m. and at 8 p. m. Morning subject, "The Polar Star and the Heavenly Seas;" evening subject, "The Personal Appearance of Our Lord Jesus Christ." Bible school at 9:45 a. m.; Y. P. S. C. E. at 6:30 p. m.

Beacon Hill Congregational church, 1214 East Twenty-fourth street—The pastor, Rev. John H. Crum, will preach at 11 a. m. and 3 p. m.; Sunday school at 9:45 a. m.; Y. P. S. C. E. at 6:30 p. m.

Christ Reformed Episcopal church, corner of Tenth street and Park avenue—The rector, Rev. L. M. Walters, who has re-

m. and 3 p. m.; Sunday school at 9:35 a. m.; Y. P. S. C. E. at 7 p. m.
Christ Reformed Episcopal church, corner of Tenth street and Park avenue—The rector, Rev. L. M. Walters, who has returned from his vacation, will preach at 11 a. m. and 7:30 p. m. Morning subject, "The Elements of a Successful Church."
Spritualism, Strope's hall, Ninth and Central streets—Services at 11 a. m. ecture by Rev. W. E. Bonney; subject, "Why I Am a Spiritualist." Lecture at 8 p. m.; subject, "The Testimony of the Ages in Kegard to a Continuous Existence."
First Christian church—The pastor, Rev. W. F. Richardson, will preach at the usual hours, morning and evening.
First Church of Christ (Scientist), 1115 Grand avenue—Services on Sunday at 11 a. m. Sunday school at 12 m.
Second Presbyterian church, corner Thirsteenth and Central streets—Rev. H. D. Jenking, D. D., pastor, Services at 11 a. m. and 7:45 p. m. Subject of morning sermon, "Constraining Love." Evening subject, "Contrary Winds," Sunday school at 9:30 a. m.; Y. P. S. C. E. at 6:45 p. m.
Linwood Presbyterian church—Rev. Dr. J. A. P. McGaw, pastor, Subject of morning sermon, "The Influence of the Christian's Hope." Evening subject, "The Crisin Paul's Life."
Reformed Presbyterian church, 1725 Summit street—Rev. A. J. McFarland, the pastor, will preach at 11 a. m. on "The Institution of the Sabbath," and at 8 p. m. on "The Soul Winner's Instructions."
Howard Memorial Methodist Episcopal church, Springfield avenue and Cherry street—Rev. Dr. S. Warner will preach at 11 a. m. on "The Institution of the Sabbath," and at 8 p. m. on "The Soul Winner's Instructions."
Howard Memorial Methodist Episcopal church—The pastor, Rev. Dr. Mitchell, will deliver at 11 o'clock a patriotic address entitled, "A Century-Old Speech Still Unto-Date." In the evening at 7 p. m.
Grand Avenue Methodist Episcopal church—The pastor, Rev. Dr. Mutchell, will be. "An Unavoidable Interview."
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QUEEREST OF ALL HAILSTONES. Phenomenal Showers That Have Fallen in Various Sections.

From the St. Louis Republic.

Humboldt, the great scientist and an undisputed authority on atmospheric as well as other natural phenomena, tells of a hall-storm which passed over Tuscany on March 14, 1813, every ice globule of the entire fall being of a beautiful orange color. Five years prior to that extraordinary event, Carnloia, Germany, was treated to a fall of five feet of blood-red snow. This was followed by a fall of blue hall, which is said to have given "the whole face of nature an exceedingly curious aspect."

Red hallstones fell in Amsterdam in 1728, at London in 1663 (during the time of the great plague), and at divers places in Ireland and France during the early part of the present century.

In 1823 a monstrous hallstone fell at Munson, Mass. It is described in the Waltham Register of July 15 of that year as follows: "Extremes, four feet long, three feet wide and two feet thick. After the rough part of the body had been removed there remained a clear, solid block of ice two feet three inches long, one foot and six inches wide and one foot and three inches thick."

The most extraordinary hallstone of history, as far as the queer shapes of the hallstones were concerned, was that which occurred on the Wadl osas in the desert of Sahara in 1851. The individual lee chunks were of all imaginable forms. There were wheels with four, six and eight spokes, dumb bells large and small, triangles, cylinders, both solid and hollow, some of the solid ones being as much as six inches in length and not larger in diameter than a lead pencil. The common round hallstones congealed together in their descent, forming into fantastic pyramids, like the old pictures of the pile-up cannon balis; some took upon themselves the forms of gigantic bunches of grapes, and other masses "fell in the shape of necklaces, crowns, crosses, etc."

In a halistorm in Wisconsin in 1886 the individual "stones" were of many odd shapes and forms. Some were shaped like giner snaps, others like watches, loaves of bread, etc.

## Swift's Cotosuet

Christ; evening theme, 'The Import o' Sacrifice.''

Gospel tent, Sixteenth and Campbell streets—Prayer and testimony meeting at 2:30 p. m., conducted by Mr. Webster. Evening service at 7:30 o'clock, conducted by Mr. Weaver, formerly a convict in the Kansas state penitentiary.

Dr. W. A. Quayle, pastor of the Independence Avenue M. E. church, will speak at the men's meeting at the Young Men's Christian Association this afternoon on "The Katabasis of a Soul." The meeting will be held at the new association building, at \$10 Wyandotte street.

Florence Crittenton mission—Song and praise service at 2 p. m. Short Gospel talks by girls of the home at 7:45 p. m.

First Universalist church, 1210 East Ninth street—Rev. Charles R. East, pastor. Preaching at 11 a. m. Subject, "The Atonement." Sunday school at 10 a. m.

St. Paul's Reformed church, 1625 Central street—Rev. Dr. J. W. Love will preach at 11 a. m. on "God's Family," and at 7:45 p. m. on "Heavenly Recognition." Sunday school at 9:45 a. m. Christian Endeavor at 7 p. m.

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